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**AMENDMENT**

**I. INTRODUCTION**

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 5, 2006 in regard to the above-identified patent application. The claims are being submitted without amendment, and reconsideration of the rejection of the claims is respectfully solicited in light of the following remarks.